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Presented for filing is a new patent application claiming priority from provisional patent applications of:

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Applicant: PARSA KAZEMI-ESFARJANI and SEYMOUR BENZER

Title:

AN ANIMAL MODEL OF POLYGLUTAMINE TOXICITY,

METHODS OF USE, AND MODULATORS OF POLYGLUTAMINE

TOXICITY

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

	Pages
Specification	85
Claims	9
Abstract	1
Drawing(s)	68

Enclosures:

- Small Entity Statement
- Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Recordation Form Coversheet, Assignment, and check for \$40 recording fee
- Postcard.

Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional application nos. 60/148,934, filed August 12, 1999; 60/148,933, filed August 12, 1999; 60/177,047, filed January 18, 2000; and 60/205,720, filed May 19, 2000.

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This application contains 79 total claims, 15 of which are independent. This application is entitled to small entity status.

Basic filing fee	\$345
Total claims in excess of 20 times \$9	\$531
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